

Jews and Christians of all kinds, probably does not much exceed half a million.

Every one of these has attached to it a school or class of aspirants to the position of a sophist; and the schools of the sophists are the great schools for the education of the young. The schools for both elementary and secondary education were well provided for; and the Turkish population generally is one of the most ignorant of any that make any pretence to civilisation. The facts in the matter of education, mere statistics and appliances are worth very little. We ought to know what they are used for; and in Constantinople, we saw, by the aid of the Constantinian library, the illustration of a mechanical memory, which automatically reproduces passages from the Koran. Turning to the Greek Church, we find that the Patriarch, whose position may be compared to that of the Pope, is surrounded by twelve synodal bishops, all of them invested with their office, or at least, with its dignities and emblems, by the Patriarch himself. All representatives of the hierarchy, and all representatives of their spiritual functions. The clergy, below the dignity of a bishop, may be married men—one of the very few points, if not, perhaps, the only one, in which the Eastern communion resembles Protestantism, rather than Romanism. No marriages are allowed in the churches, however, and, even in sacred persons, perspective is abandoned as well as any use of light and shade, and the same as we have applied to the pictures of the Virgin. The purpose of this is, presumably, to prevent idolatry, but, as if to illustrate the uselessness of rules and laws where the Greek life is wanting, it is a well-known fact, that the Greek and Russian peasants cherish their little pictures of saints as they do their household gods, and say their prayers to them as devoutly as any Italian confidante to his image of the Virgin. The Patriarch of Constantinople has no political functions, and is of spiritual status than the Pope of Rome. At all any rate, the Greek Church professes to cover all Russia—a world in itself, all the Danubian provinces, as well as the Greek, and almost every part of the Turkish dominions except Armenia. Happy should we be to believe that this great Church stands less in need of reformation than her

There is a story of a noble lord, who once gave his friend a golden-snuff box, the cover of which an ass's head was painted. Not much flattered by this present, and wishing to turn the tables on the author of the joke, and the recipient took out the ass's head and instead the portrait of the lord. The next day at dinner, he, as if by accident, put his box upon the table. The lord, who wished to amuse his guests at the expense of this friend, made mention of the snuff box, and aroused the curiosity of those around him. A lady asked to see it. It was passed

fect! It is a striking likeness! Indeed, my friend, it is one of the best portraits of your father I ever saw!" The lord was naturally much surprised at this, and he thought he ought to have said so hard upon him. While he was reflecting upon the offensiveness of it, the abbess passed the box to her neighbour, who made similar remarks about it. The box was then wound around the table; each one exclaiming upon the resemblance. "The noble countess was much astonished at this course of proceedings, and when it came to his turn to look, he said to no effect that his friend had got the face of his son."

ONE OF THE COLONEL'S YARNS.

"While I was staying with this queer old fellow, a messaga came from a neighbour of mine, who lived a few miles off, that some things had been stolen the night before, and that, although it was as clear as daylight that it must have been done with the consent of somebody in the house, yet there was not an atom of proof against the servants. I was much interested in the matter, and I went to see the man, and he made the following announcements; and he would be obliged to Mr. T. to come over and look into the matter. "Well, no sooner said than done." I came, and I rode over there to breakfast, and after breakfast all the servants were mustered in a row, and there sat old T. with a great cane, looking through them with a searching eye, and he made the following observations:—

them that Brahms had appeared to him in a dream, and told him who the thief was; and that, to make his guilt plain to them all, he was going to give a straw to each of them, and the culprit, do what he might, was sure to get the longest. "The darkers looked awfully frightened, and drew their straws just as though they were casting lots to be hanged. When they had all done, T took the straws back one by one; and the fifth man delivered his, T caught him by the shoulder, and shouted, 'You're

must, and with the most dismal shrieks for mercy, confessed he was the thief, and was marched off there and then. When he was caught, I asked Tim—how on earth he managed it. "Easily enough," says he; "the fellow was a first-class thief, and he had the fellow, to make sure of it, not getting away as long as he had a piece of his—just by that I knew him!"—Cassell's Family Magazine.

THE LOGAN ROCK.

The cliffs of the peninsula west of Panama are almost everywhere grand, but no expedition is better adapted for shoving the rocks of the coast than the Logan Rock and the Logan's Boat. The road crosses the granite plateau; a breezy, unplanted district, partly tilled, partly arid, almost covered with furze and heath and ling. Here and there it is furrowed by some ravine, now green, when a stream winds on its seaward course. In this, sheltered from the prevailing wind, the trees grow tall and strong, and the gardens, glades, and flower-beds, and the occasional changes in a few minutes from one of the sternest wilderness to soft luxuriance. The Logan Rock itself is on a little peninsula, guarded by grand granite cliffs, ever wet with the Atlantic spray. Huge fissures, mechanically called joints, divide the rock into enormous blocks, so that it seems like some fragment of the coast of the United States, toward one of its bastions, and on the edge of a fragment of a battlement crowning a granite wall, is perched a bare boulder, almost overlooking a narrow ravine that descends to the sea. This is the Logan Stone. By moderate effort of strength it can be made to roll off the rock perceptibly. It former days lay in the water, and was counted about its original position and purpose; and the way it was moved is supposed to be the work of the Devil. The fact, however, is that it is a mere sport of Nature; only one of the great granite blocks mentioned above, which has been dislodged by the hand of time into a boulder, and left poised on the rock more than usual. It is a fine specimen of the way in which the sea has been seen on almost any granite rock, but they are seldom found capable of being rolled by ordinary force. *Geographical Magazine.*

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Vessels.	Date of Arrival.	Captains.	Tug & Rig.
Dart	Apr. 1	Thomson	Ger. Dag.
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An-lan ?	—	Gedal	H.I.O.
Ashuelot	—	G. R. Perkins	Amer.
Ouen-jui ?	—	E. F. Oollies	H.I.O.
China	Apr. 12	Akerman	Ger.
Pacyew	Apr. 16	A. Cread	Chi.
Kwang-on	—	Li-ping-ya	H.I.O.
Shen-chai	—	Wude	H.I.O.
Sui-tsing	—	Stewart	H.I.O.
Tsing-tsing ?	—	Besard	H.I.O.
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Norma	Moh. 26	Bungo	Ger.
Telli	Moh. 31	Petersen	Ger.
Battie	Moh. 31	Petersen	Ger.
Catharina	Apr. 4	Olausen	Ger.
Hermann	Apr. 6	Lounbeck	Ger.
Jungen	Moh. 28	Wendt	Ger.
Kryll	Apr. 4	Wilken	Bril.
Peter	Moh. 28	Moller	Ger. &
Rabecca	Apr. 4	Thomson	Ger.
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K. Flickinger	Moh. 28	Gillman	Aura

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Hilda	Apr. 1	Daly	Brit.
M. W. Worcester	Feb. 28	Cawes	Brit.
Julia	Feb. 18	Mitchell	Brit.
Deborah	Feb. 26	Lock	Brit.
Edith	Feb. 29	Acford	Brit.
Shiraz	Feb. 28	Fringle	Brit.
Yvonne	Apr. 1	Barry	Brit.
Wollaha	Apr. 2	Barneson	Brit.
A. Lloyd	Feb. 28	Ames	Amr.
Deper	Feb. 27	Davis	Brit.
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Annabel	Feb. 28	Johnson	Brit.
Henry Jins	Feb. 19	Brinkmeier	Amr.
Conrad	Feb. 31	Black	Brit.
Katsuga Mori	Apr. 1	Young	Jap. sc.

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Mary Lancaster	Jan. 28	Spain 5
John Phipps	Feb. 25	Aust. 5
Louise	Feb. 18	Brit. 6
Alperstein	Feb. 18	Ger. 6
Quaid	Feb. 2	Brit. 6
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